

PROCEEDINGS AT OTTAWA

REVIEW OF THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S REPORT.

The Orange Bill—Divisions in the House—Petition of the Knights of Labor—Police Statistics.

Special Message to the World. Ottawa, Feb. 15.—In the senate to-day the divorce bill for the relief of John Graham was read a second time, and referred to a select committee.

The orange bill was introduced to-day in the commons and read a first time. Mr. Blake has gone to Toronto.

The house divided this afternoon on an amendment by Sir Richard Cartwright to Sir John Macdonald's resolutions, that the Canadian railway resolutions take precedence of all other business. The amendment was lost by 51 to 107.

Another division occurred on a subsequent amendment by Mr. Weldon, that the resolutions have precedence on certain days. Lost by 23 to 108.

The knights of labor have presented a petition to parliament praying for the abolition of assisted passages to Canada.

The postmaster-general laid his annual report on the table to-day. It says the general increase in postal business of all kinds noted in last year's report was continued during the year now under review, and much has been done by this department to supply a corresponding extension of postal accommodation throughout the dominion.

Two hundred and twenty-four additional post-offices have been established in Canada since last year's report, making a total number of 6395 now in operation. During the year there were carried in Ontario 34,500,000 letters, 8,500,000 postcards, 1,650,000 registered letters, 1,800,000 free letters, 4,200,000 newspapers and periodicals, 6,000,000 books, circulars, samples, patterns, etc., and 280,000 parcels.

The comparative statement for Quebec is 14,500,000 letters, 2,450,000 post cards, 500,000 registered letters, 300,000 free letters, 1,800,000 books, etc., 90,000 parcels. Ontario has nearly 60 per cent. of the entire amount of the dominion. Following is the revenue derived from the different provinces: Ontario \$1,268,487, Quebec \$471,627, Nova Scotia \$171,961, New Brunswick \$161,212, Prince Edward Island \$29,278, Manitoba, Keewatin and Northwest territories \$192,783.

Respecting the expenditure in each province was \$1,268,487, \$429,896, \$268,624, \$236,078, \$54,061, \$63,397, \$148,688. Total expenditure over receipts was \$423,009.

The total amount of money deposited during the year in the dominion was \$6,826,260.

The weekly average of drop letters was 38,949 in Toronto, and only 221,777 in Montreal, including Point St. Charles. Since November 1882 1076 miles of railway over which mails were carried have been put in operation.

The total revenue collected for the year ending June 31, 1883, was \$2,264,384, an increase of \$242,286 over last year's collections.

The revenue collected for the last five years is as follows: For the year ending June 30, 1879, \$1,534,383; 1880, \$1,648,007; 1881, \$1,800,710; 1882, \$2,022,095; 1883, \$2,264,384.

It is estimated 2,650,000 registered letters passed through Canada during the year; 620,704 dead letters were received during the year.

The bill to amalgamate the Toronto board of trade and corn exchange passed this morning with only trifling amendments. Also the bill for the incorporation of the Provincial bank of London, capital one million dollars, in ten thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

MANITOBA BRIGADES.

Infatuate Menonites Terrorized—A Madman Attacks and Burns His Wife.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—The whole province is aroused by the extraordinary conduct of a band of desperadoes who, headed by a man named Geo. W. Williams, has been terrorizing the Menonite settlement by driving off cattle, horses and other effects, and taking them across the line into the States. In every case where the Menonites resisted they were overpowered and intimidated by the production of revolvers and other firearms, which were freely used on all occasions. Besides notes, bonds and other securities, the gang have stolen, it is stated, about 50 horses and mules and as many cattle. On some occasions he has paid money to get his booty while crossing the line, but generally it has been smuggled. The property stopped on his last trip by the customs officers at Wabasso, between Emerson and Grattan, consists of 14 horses and mules, 4 cows, 3 wagons, 1 moving machine, 1 horse rake, 1 buggy, 1 gang plough, 1 set of iron harrows, and 2 sets of double harness, all of which goods are at present impounded by the United States customs officers. For the past few months Williams has held a regular reign of terror among the Menonite settlements. Some twenty-five Menonite witnesses are at Pembina, and the court has been engaged in examining them during the past few days, but it is very difficult to get at the facts, great difficulty being experienced in obtaining an interpreting, many of the witnesses not understanding English. Williams is in custody and is strongly guarded. He hails from Whitley, Ont., and is a tough looking stealer.

IS IT HORSE STEALING?

A Hamilton Youth's Mysterious Disappearance. HAMILTON, Feb. 15.—Wednesday morning George Richardson, who for some time has been in the employ of Mr. D. Thompson, the jeweler here, asked his employer to let him off work for a little while, and complained of feeling unwell. Mr. Thompson let him go in the afternoon the

THE FOLLOWING LETTER WAS ADDRESSED TO THE RIGHT HON. SIR JOHN MACDONALD BY MR. VAN HORNE, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY.

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THE DEVASTATING FLOOD.

Several Towns Inundated—The Inhabitants Destitute and "Went Mad," Food and Clothing Supplies Coming In.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.—At 3.40 this morning the rear part of two brick dwellings at the corner of Ludlow and Pearl streets, fell in. Ten persons were buried in the ruins or drowned. The firemen and police used superhuman efforts to rescue the victims. The dwellings were boarded-up houses and had from twenty to thirty occupants. The living were soon brought out. Four members of a family named Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Coulter, Maud Ellis, Lydia Ellis, Willie Kyle, and another person were crushed or drowned. Mrs. Webb was awakened by the cracking of the walls and tried to awaken the others, but fell with the ruins. She escaped unhurt.

The following are known to have been killed this morning: John Kyle, a son of the proprietor of the building; Libby Colter, Maud Ellis, James Ogden, Barney Winkler, Mr. Winkler, Thomas Burke, Mrs. Burke and two children.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.—The steamer Kate Waters returned to-night from the river as far as Mayville. This is the only boat that has been up the river since the flood. The men on the steamer report no bottom land in sight from here to Mayville, the river extending from hill to hill. This means vast losses to farmers. Custer village and the other parts of Mayville are suffering for want of fuel, light and food. The people ask only bread and meat.

The body of Maud Ellis was also recovered and the body of another woman was found under a partition wall, but owing to the danger the other walls fell, further search was abandoned till the water falls.

Manchester is wholly covered with water. Many buildings are ruined, brick buildings crumbling and frames washing away. The militia are patrolling the streets in boats, and many farmers and others far into the interior are sending food in wagons. Without fuel, without such supplies, the situation is awful. All along the river, it is said, the late storm wind did untold damage to buildings.

Aberdeen, opposite Mayville, is badly wrecked by the late storm. The town is entirely desolate.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 15.—Cleveland has already contributed about \$20,000 in money and supplies for the flood sufferers. The work of collecting and distributing food is being very slowly to-day. It is now thought the river will not reach last year's stage by a foot.

GALLIPOLIS, Ohio, Feb. 15.—Relief steamers report Athens almost entirely swept away. At that place the water is in the streets. At Proctorville the water is in the second story. Cereola lost \$300,000 worth of lumber.

At the mouth of the Ohio, a reporter who has returned from a trip down the river says that Powhatan, Orrington, Sistersville and Boonville are entirely under water. Several rivers are in a frightful plight. Never before was there, there, the citizens have a cannon on the roof of a house, with the intent of protecting the town by preventing steamboats approaching. At Cochransville only a few houses remain.

At Cairo, where the river is swept away did from eight to ten feet. The fearful condition. There is not a house to be seen in the lower part of the town. Two Capt. DeLand, Dr. Leung, Major Quinn, Royal Grenadier, Sgt. Major Smith, general manager's body guard, Sgt. Major Woodman, Toronto field battery, Mr. Bayley and Mr. Campbell, now a fine lot of soldierly-looking young fellows never sat round the festive board.

After the total wreck of a gentleman's home, such as was never done before, the greatest enthusiasm, professed by a short and eulogistic speech by Sgt. Cooper, the colonel, although in evening dress, looked every inch a soldier and spoke like a soldier, giving hard matter-of-fact advice. The sentiment, Our Sister Corps, was proposed in a courteous and good-humored speech by Sgt. George, and elicited replies from Col. Wyndham, Major Quinn, Lt. Leung, Major Quinn, Sgt. Major Smith and Woodman. Sgt. George introduced the Ladies in a neat speech, after which songs were sung by Sgt. Cooper, Capt. Bayley and Howard, and shortly afterwards the pleasant gathering broke up.

Canada Women's Suffrage Association. The regular monthly meeting of this association was held in the parlor of Shaftesbury hall on the evening of Thursday last, when the names of several new members were added to the list. Some discussion took place regarding the various franchises bills now before the dominion and provincial parliaments. A communication from Mrs. Susan B. Anthony of New York was read. This lady is one of the most distinguished lady public speakers of America, and has had extensive experience on all social questions both in Europe and America during some years past, and offers her assistance for the furtherance of the cause of women's suffrage in Canada. If an enthusiastic gathering on the question of women's suffrage can be convened, it is very probable that Miss Anthony will be secured as the chief speaker.

Police Court Pointers. Eva Howard, a respectable woman, was fined \$50 and cost six months in the Mercer. Henry Brown and John Walsh, accused of receiving stolen property, were discharged. Hattie Devere, charged with keeping a house of ill fame on York street, was fined \$50 and cost six months in the Mercer. The case of the meeting of Mary Wall, Margaret Read, Harry Thompson, John Sheehan, and George Falk inmates, were fined \$50 and cost six months in the Mercer. The case of the meeting of Mary Wall, Margaret Read, Harry Thompson, John Sheehan, and George Falk inmates, were fined \$50 and cost six months in the Mercer.

The Millionaire and the Humorist. EAST BRIDGE, Mich., Feb. 15.—The will of Col. Hunt, a millionaire lumberman of Roscommon county, bequeaths \$5000 to Caroline Brown, the mother of Artemus Ward, and similar amounts to Eli Perkins and Josh Billings. Hunt was a lover of humor, and owned an extensive library made up mainly of humorous literature.

A Fatal Triangular Fight. HENRYETTA, Tex., Feb. 15.—Wm. Wheelwright and John Ellison, late city marshal, commenced shooting each other in a bar-room last night. Capt. Jas. T. Browning interfered and was killed. Wheelwright and Ellison are mortally wounded. Browning was candidate for the city marshalship.

Royal Museum. The popularity of the entertainments now being given in the Royal museum increases every day. The Tennessee Jubilee Singers are excellent, their bass especially being superb. They are well worth hearing. The drama Uncle Tom's Cabin is an increasing favorite, and will run all next week.

The Local Legislature. The legislature held a very short session yesterday afternoon. The only important matter that transpired was the announcement of Mr. Ross (Huron), provincial treasurer, that the estimates would be laid on the table on Monday afternoon and the budget speech be delivered on Tuesday.

Organization of the Temperance Men for the Campaign. A meeting was held last night in the Temperance hall for the purpose of organizing the forces of the opponents of the grocer's license. Rev. John Smith in the chair. Among those on the platform were Rev. F. McLeod, I. Frizzle, Messrs. N. W. Hoyle, J. French, Geo. Flint, F. Spence, Isaac Wardell and others. It was decided to appoint committees as follows: Legal—Composed of Mr. N. W. Hoyle, J. A. Patterson, Thos. Caswell, H. Snellings and H. Cassella. Finance—G. M. Ross, Jas. French, Jos. Oliver, W. H. Rowland and Geo. Scott. Literature and Printing—Rev. F. McLeod, F. Spence, N. W. Hoyle, R. McLean and W. Burgess. Public Meetings—J. Thomson, Rev. J. Smith, I. Wardell, R. J. Fleming and Geo. Flint. Voters' Lists—J. B. Marshall, Ald. Brandon, Robt. Rae, Ald. Harvie and J. Gordon. Conveyances—Carlyle, J. Little, H. Jackson, H. O'Hara. The first named on each committee to be convenor.

After the general committees had been appointed, committees for canvassing the various wards were appointed, and places for headquarters were chosen.

Miss Boncanti. The advent of Miss Boncanti, author and actor, is an event to be remembered, and we trust, appreciated by our public. His appearance in his great play, The Shaughraun, will be greeted by a representative audience. Great praise should be accorded to the liberality and enterprise of the management in entering to the refined taste of the patrons of the drama. To Mr. Boncanti's dramatic talent, we add his position as the English speaking people stage drama in the first style. In older times a parlor scene was put before the public with two chairs and a table and then a table; but he placed full sets of furniture, pianos, pictures, rich carpets, chandeliers, all appointments of a gentleman's home, such as was never done before. His garden scene was garnished with real flowers, trees, and statues; in fact he held the picture up to nature. Boncanti's plays have drawn from the public more than \$30,000. The Shaughraun is said to be the best piece of Boncanti's plays.

A Novel Auction Sale. Yesterday morning at 11 o'clock the private boxes in the Grand Opera house were sold by auction for the Irving engagement. Box D was sold to Mr. Willocks for \$38. Mr. B. Samuels secured box B for \$33, and Mr. E. Stanford purchased box E for \$32. These sales were for the opening performance of The Bells on Thursday night. For Friday evening's performance of The Merchant of Venice, box B went to a Calgary for \$27. Mr. Willocks secured box D for \$33, and the remaining lower box, E, went to Mr. Bingham for \$21. Two upper boxes, F and G, were knocked down to Mr. Willocks at the usual figure \$20 for each box. For the Saturday matinee performance boxes B and D went to Mr. Calgary for \$20 each. Mr. G. Michie secured box B for the closing performance on Saturday evening for \$25, and box D became the temporary property of Mr. Willocks for \$35. The receipts of the sale aggregated \$339.

One Hundred Years Ago. The movement to celebrate the founding of Upper Canada in 1784 by United Empire Loyalists is about to take definite shape. A public meeting called for Tuesday evening, Feb. 19, promises to be well attended by representatives from different parts of the province. It is proposed to hold the celebration on the Thursday of the week to be devoted to the semi-centennial of the city. It seems very fitting that the two events, one relating to the province, the other to the capital, should be commemorated together. At the meeting to be held on Tuesday the form and character of the centennial celebration will be determined. Committees will be formed and proper steps be taken to convey the movement to a successful termination. All patriotic Canadians are expected to take part in the matter, whether descendants of the pioneers or of those who became residents of Canada in later years, or those who settled but yesterday. All who possess in common the fruit of those who planted the province.

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Slightly Milder Weather. TORONTO, Feb. 16, 1 a.m.—Lobs; increasing cold; light snow, with light snow in some localities to-night.

THE UNIVERSITY REUNION.

Yesterday was a red-letter day in the history of the provincial university. In the afternoon there was held at the Canadian institute the best business meeting ever yet held of the graduates in convocation.

Years ago each meeting was the result of long and earnest effort on the part of a earnest and restless spirit, and each meeting was isolated from the others. Yesterday's meeting was very different in that it was spontaneous in its origin, intensely practical in its character, closely related to those that went before it, and the precursor in business as well as in time of the one that is to follow it. It is of less importance that the transactions of convocation should be infallible than that its members should have a deep and abiding interest in their alma mater.

The banquet in the evening was the best ever yet held in connection with the university—thanks to the new departure of holding it in a suitable place and at a fitting time. The Horticultural pavilion furnished ample accommodation for the 400 guests assembled, and the undergraduates for the first time an opportunity of attending a university banquet in considerable numbers. Though the dinner was not of the usual character, it was well got up and was satisfactory, while the speaking was of an exceptionally high order. Though the burning question of college support was the constant theme of the speeches, and though nearly all of them insisted on the duty of the province to maintain the provincial college and university in a state of efficiency, not a word was said which could offend the most fastidious or most sensitive guest. Chancellor Boyd was most felicitous as chairman; Mr. Blake, Mr. Mulock and Dr. Wilson represented most creditably the university and college. Dr. Caven, Dr. Sheraton, Dr. Castle, Dr. Moss, Mr. Povis, Mr. Antiff and Father Teedy kept up the reputation of the clergy. Dr. Atkins and Dr. Geikie ably represented the medical profession, and G. W. Ross and Mr. Harcourt spoke ably and appropriately for the Ontario legislature. Mr. Ross certainly held out the hope that the provincial legislature would not be behind in doing its duty by the provincial university.

THE BOULDER BOYS. First Annual Banquet of the Non-Commissioned Officers of the O. O. B. Oh, there's not a trade that's going. Worth showing of knowing. Like that, they're going. For a bold soldier boy.

Officers of the Queen's Own Rifles held their first annual banquet in their mess rooms on the corner of Church and Front streets. Sergeant-Major Cunningham occupied the chair, and the vice-chair was filled by Staff-Sgt. Walker.

The invited guests were Col. Otter

THE PEOPLE'S PASTIMES.

A Cure for Cuts, Sores, Etc. The finest healing compound under the sun is McGregor & Park's Carbolic Cerate.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN SPORTING CIRCLES THE WORLD OVER.

The Ontario Silver Tankard-Joe Popp... Kestonites Hamilton's Chief of Police-The Keenest, The Approaching Exhibition-Other Sporting Notes.

At Ay yesterday a cutting match took place between Paris and Ay, three rings a side, resulting in favor of Ay by two to one.

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Ushkosh is giving dances for married people only, that are said to be quite moral, but more particularly permeated with fun.

If a well be poisoned, was to those who drink thereat. It is worse to poison the fountain of life for one's self and posterity.

A coat-tail flirtation is the latest. A wrinkled coat-tail bearing dusty toe marks means: "I have spoken to your father."

Messrs. T. MURPHY & CO. Dear Sirs.-I can honestly recommend Hagyard's Yellow Oil as the best reliever of rheumatic pains of all the many offered for sale.

It is not strange that a young Englishman who plays cricket becomes a well-bred man since he begins as a better.

To lessen mortality and stop the inroads of disease, use Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure.

No other medicine is so reliable as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for colds, coughs, and all derangements of the respiratory organs tending toward consumption.

A foal may have his coat embroidered, but it will always be a foal's coat.

The best blood relations consist of a perfect circulation of healthy, vital fluid-pure blood and proper circulation may be established in the system by the use of that grand blood purifier, Burdock Blood Bitters.

Himalaya (the abode of snow from the Sanskrit "hima," snow, and "alaya," abode) is the most elevated and stupendous system on the globe.

The Star dyes are unexcelled for cheapness and fast colors.

The true philosophy of medicine is not to dose for symptoms, but to root out disease.

Large premiums are offered for coyote scalps by the farmers of southern Oregon.

In Dixie's Land. J. Kennedy, dealer in drugs, etc., Dixie, Ontario, recommends Hagyard's Pectoral Balm to his customers.

Thirty-five sheep belonging to a raiser near Petersburg, N. Y., are suffering from what physicians pronounce hydrophobia.

Buenos Ayres, Argentine republic, according to a recent census, has a population of 333,964.

Mrs. George Simpson, Toronto, says: I have suffered severely with corns, and was unable to get any relief from treatment of any kind until I was recommended to try Holloway's Corn Cure.

The thermometer at Buenos Ayres, Argentine republic, was 90° above zero on Christmas.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant to take and effectual in destroying worms.

A magistrate in Hickman county, Kentucky, received three coon-skins recently for marrying a couple.

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THE WORLD AT LARGE

Count Nasaki, who blew out his brains at Monte Carlo recently was well known on the boulevards in Paris.

The ground on which an Iowa man asks for a divorce is that his wife is a drunkard; and the peculiarity of the complaint is its specification that she acquired the habit of intemperance while tending bar in his own saloon.

A Dutch engineer named Von Braun has received a concession from the Portuguese government to lay a submarine cable from Lisbon to the Azores, and thence to New York and Cuba.

The Boston Post says: "Two young doctors were recently comparing notes in the office of a well-known hotel in this city, and one of them was heard to say: 'In a case of that kind you use (a certain drug) and it will have (a certain effect) or it won't, I am not a doctor.'"

For the last month the czar has been in such a deplorable state of nervous depression that to all intents and purposes he may be regarded as being dead.

The French schoolboys have been grievously disgusted at the reduction of their christmas holidays by the present minister of public instruction.

An idea of the depth of interest felt in Birmingham, England, in the sports practiced by its citizens may be found from the fact that the recent defeat of the Aston Villa football team by Queen's park, Glasgow, in their tie for the association cup, was described in one local paper inside a black mourning border.

Impartial, a journal of Chaux-de-Fonds, says that a quack was lately arrested there in whose possession were found letters from Tourgenieff asking for advice. The post was in constant consultation with the best doctors, but could not resist an impulse to try medicines which were given to him with a charm attached.

A large panther is said to have been seen during the last two months on Willis mountains near near Ellerslie to Rocky Gap, Md. So far only one or two sheep have been carried off by him, and he is thought to be subsisting on wild animals. His haunts are in the deepest ravines, and very few of the farmers venture to hunt for the animal.

The girl who, at New Lisbon, Ohio, announced herself as the prize in a raffle—of hundreds of chances at a dollar apiece—was taken at first as a card sharp, and her sincere willingness to marry the winner, provided he is under 40 years of age, and bears a good reputation, has attracted as a pretty, intelligent, and heretofore unassailed by adverse criticism.

No bureau of the government exceeds in importance the United States patent office. From the start it has been self-sustaining, and now has an unexpended balance to its credit of about \$2,000,000.

Among the invitations sent by the Montreal carnival committee for the ball in that city was one for the mayor of Boston. On the cover of the invitation were the initials R. S. V. P. In politely declining the invitation the mayor's secretary addressed Mr. C. G. Clouston, the secretary of the ball committee, appending the R. S. V. P. as a title, possibly as denoting some high rank nearly bestowed on her majesty's subjects.

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Ladies' fine hosiery worth \$1.25, for 75 cents at Farley's. New Parliament Buildings. At present it is pretty clear that Mr. Meredith is disposed to try and make capital out of any attempted expenditure in Toronto upon necessary public buildings. Toronto to destroy the buildings. They are required for the public service, and we may also say for the public credit, but Toronto has sent its representatives two men opposed to the administration and who co-operate with those who oppose the erection, and who seek to make capital out of the expenditure. If there is delay Toronto is mainly at fault.

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A CAPTAIN SAVED

ow a Member of Her Majesty's service Escaped Destruction—His Graphic Account.

(Hamilton, Ont., Spectator.) Some little commotion was occasioned several months ago regarding the existence of a gentleman well known in this city, and at the time the matter was a subject of general conversation. In order to ascertain all the facts bearing upon the matter, a representative of this paper was dispatched yesterday to interview the gentleman in question with the following result:

Capt. W. H. Nicholls, formerly in Her Majesty's service, is a man well advanced in years, who has evidently seen much of the world. Endowed by nature with a strong constitution, he was enabled to endure hardships under which many men would have succumbed. Through all privation and exposure he preserved his constitution unimpaired. A number of years ago, however, he began to feel a strange undermining of his life. He noticed that he had less energy than formerly, that his appetite was unaccountably changing, that he was unaccountably weary at certain times and correspondingly energetic at others; that his head pained him, first in front and then at the base of the brain, and that his heart was unusually irregular in its action. All these troubles he attributed to some passing disorder, but he paid them little attention, but they seemed to increase in violence continually. To the writer he said: "I never for a moment thought these things amounted to anything serious and I gave them little, if any, thought; but I felt myself growing weaker all the while, and could in no way account for it."

"Did you take no steps to check these symptoms?" "Very little, if any. I thought they were only temporary in their nature and would soon pass away. But they did not pass away and kept increasing. Finally, one day after more than a year had passed, I noticed that my feet and ankles were beginning to swell, and that my face under the eyes appeared puffy. This indication increased until my body began to fill with water, and finally swelled to enormous proportions. I was afflicted with acute rheumatic pains and was fearful at times that it would attack my heart. I consulted one of our most prominent physicians and he gave me no hope of ever recovering. He said that I might live several months, but my condition was such that neither myself nor any of my family had the slightest hope of my recovery. In this condition a number of months passed by, during which time I had to sit constantly in an easy chair, not being able to lie down, lest I should choke to death. The slight pains I had at first experienced during the winter of 1911, I think it was yesterday, I was unable to eat or even swallow fluids. My strength entirely deserted me and I was so exhausted that I prayed day and night for death. The doctor could not relieve me and I was left in a condition to die that day, too, of Bright's disease of the kidneys in its most terrible form. I think I should have died had I not learned of a gentleman who had suffered very much as I had, and I resolved to pursue the same course of treatment which entirely cured him. I accordingly began, and at once felt a change for the better going on in my system. In the course of a week the swelling had gone from my abdomen and diminished all over my body, and I felt like another man. I continued the treatment and an happy to say that I was entirely cured through the wonderful, almost miraculous power of Warner's Safe Cure, which I consider the most valuable discovery of modern times. "And you feel apparently well now?"

"Yes, indeed. I am in good health, eat heartily, and both the doctors and my friends are greatly surprised and gratified at my remarkable restoration, after I was virtually in the grave. My daughter, who had been cured by kidney trouble has also been cured by means of this same great remedy, and my family and myself have constituted ourselves a kind of missionary society for supplying the poor of our neighborhood with the remedy which has been so invaluable to us."

As the writer was returning home he reflected upon the statements of the middle-aged man with whom he had conversed, and was impressed not only with the truth of his assertions, but also with the sincerity of all his acts. And he could not but be glad that the thousands who are suffering with minor troubles which become so serious unless taken in time might know of Captain Nicholls' experience and the manner in which he was saved. And this is the cause of this article.

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A New View of Berlin society. Berlin society does not welcome strangers; the men of prominent position are very reserved, the women prudish or dissolute, the young men of the greater part do not care for anything but dissipation, they do not talk there at all, they do not read, they do not write, they are essentially provincial. They gossip and gibe for instruction, and in any other place there is no laughter, little or no laughter, and no interest other than local ones or those having a direct influence upon Berlin itself.

Every observer who walks the streets of a great city, and scans with intelligent eyes the faces of more than fifty per cent. of the people he meets, can easily see that the such drafts upon the working energies of the business has destroyed in a proportionate degree the vitality of the individual. Nature, in this stage of exhaustion, cannot be restored of itself, but requires some stimulant in regular order, and the exact remedy remains to be found. The peculiar operation of this medicine, in cases of general debility and nervous prostration, has undergone long and severe trial, and it is believed that never failed, if properly and judiciously administered. Prepared by Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, and sold by all druggists.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

Bond St. Congregational Church. REV. JOSEPH WILD, D.D., Pastor.

SUNDAY, February 17, 1884. Subject for Evening: "The Wonderful Unfinished Monument."

Jarvis Street Baptist Church. REV. D. B. THOMAS, D.D., Pastor.

LORETT'S DAY, February 17th. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school at 2:45 p.m.

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Only two more performances. Grand matinee at 2 p.m. This evening at 8 p.m. UCLIN, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. DION BOUCAULT. Box plan now open.

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Important Mortgage Sale

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in two several mortgages to the vendor, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold by public auction on Thursday, the 21st day of February, 1884, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the land situate in the townships of York, better known as the farms of Meers, Lake & Clark, No. 78 Yonge Street, Toronto, the following valuable real property, namely: Those splendid villa lots, suitable for country residences, market gardens, etc., and being part of the southerly part of lot 30 in the third concession from the city in the township of York, better known as the Gwynne farm, and being lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

These lots form part of a block of land situate on the northeast corner of a street in the third concession road. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35,